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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENSIONAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

MAIL STOP Petition

Commissioner for Patents. P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus an extension of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

(1) Petition fee;

(2) Reply and/or issue fee:

- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee required for all utility and patent applications filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Adequate showing of the cause of unintentional delay.

1. Petition fee

- () Small entity fee \$665 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- (X) Other than small entity fee \$1330 (37 CFR 1.17(m)).

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- A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office Action in the form of Amendment and Response:
 - () has been filed previously on _____
 - (X) is enclosed herewith.
- B. The issue fee of \$ _____
 - () has been paid previously on
 - () is enclosed herewith.
- 3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee
 - (X) Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
 - () A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$55 for a small entity or \$110 for other than a small entity) disclaiming a period equivalent to the period of abandonment is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).
- 4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Date: 8/11/2004

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- (X) A copy of Notice of Abandonment.
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) Revocation of Power of Attorney with previously filed Declaration.
- (X) Request for Changing Correspondence Address.
- (X) Fee Payment
- (X) Reply

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Vignita 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. CONFIRMATION NO. FIRST NAMED INVENTOR FILING DATE TION NO. 880-24-026 2166 08/07/2001 Yuichiro Itakura 07/08/2003 **EXAMINER** SOCAL IP LAW GROUP 310 N. WESTLAKE BLVD. STE 120 RECEIVED FISCHER, ANDREW J WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91362 PAPER NUMBER AUG 2 0 2004 ART UNIT 3627 OFFICE OF PETITIONS DATE MAILED: 07/08/2003

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Notice of Abandonment

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --This application is abandoned in view of: Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on Nov 7, 2002 (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated (a) A reply was received on), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of month(s)) which expired on ______. (b) A proposed reply was received on ______, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113(a) to the final rejection. (A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114). but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a (c) A reply was received on proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below). (d) No reply has been received. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period 2. 🗌 of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85). (with a Certificate of Mailing or (a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on ____ Transmission dated ______), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85). (b) The submitted issue fee of \$____ is insufficient. A balance of \$____ is due. The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$___ . The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d) is \$___ (c)
The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received. Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the 3. □ Notice of Allowability (PTO-37). (with a Certificate of Mailing or (a) Proposed new formal drawings were received on Transmission dated ______), which is after the expiration of the period for reply. (b) No corrected drawings have been received. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity **5**. \Box under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences rendered on and because the 6. □ period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims. The reason(s) below: 7. 🗌 My 7/1/03

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Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to minimize any negative effects on patent term.